

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Todd J. Sheldon et al. Docket: P-8729.00  
Serial No.: 09/945,179 Group Art: 3762  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the non-final Office Action mailed March 2, 2004, which Office Action set a three-month statutory period for reply that expired on 2 June 2004. Thus, Applicants herewith petition for a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the non-final Office Action to extend the period for reply until today, 2 August 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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